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In re application of

Hideaki YAGI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/818,528

Group Art Unit: 1753

Confirmation No.: 2879

Examiner: Ta Hsung Tung

Filed: March 28, 2001

For: GAS SENSOR AND GAS SENSOR UNIT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated July 1, 2003, to and including December 1, 2003.

A check for the statutory extension of time fee of \$420.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all additional required fees (except the Issue Fee and/or the Publication Fee) to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayment to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is also enclosed.

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